# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOOD SAFETY AND INSPECTION SERVICE

WASHINGTON, DC

# **FSIS NOTICE**

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CANCELLATION OF FSIS PHIS DIRECTIVE 9920.1, REINSPECTION OF IMPORTED SHELL EGGS (PACKED IN CONTAINERS DESTINED FOR CONSUMERS AND FOR BREAKING)

## I. PURPOSE

This notice cancels FSIS PHIS Directive 9920.1, Reinspection of Imported Shell Eggs (Packed in Containers Destined for Consumers and for Breaking) because the Agricultural Marketing Service is conducting inspections of imported shell eggs.

#### II. INFORMATION REGARDING IMPORTED SHELL EGGS

A. Import details may be found at: <a href="mailto:lmport-Requirements">lmport Requirements</a> - Breaking Stock. Questions can be addressed to Jeff Shomaker at 202-720-2153 or <a href="mailto:Jeff.Shomaker@ams.usda.gov">Jeff.Shomaker@ams.usda.gov</a>. Information about which Federal agency has jurisdiction over shell eggs and egg products at various points on the farm-to-table spectrum may be found at: <a href="http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/food-safety-education/get-answers/food-safety-fact-sheets/production-and-inspection/sourcing-egg-products-shell-eggs">Jeff.Shomaker@ams.usda.gov</a>. Information about which Federal agency has jurisdiction over shell eggs and egg products at various points on the farm-to-table spectrum may be found at: <a href="http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/food-safety-education/get-answers/food-safety-fact-sheets/production-and-inspection/sourcing-egg-products-shell-eggs">Jeff.Shomaker@ams.usda.gov</a>/wps/portal/fsis/topics/food-safety-education/get-answers/food-safety-fact-sheets/production-and-inspection/sourcing-egg-products-shell-eggs.

B. FSIS has also developed a Question and Answer document regarding imported egg products available at: <a href="http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/international-affairs/importing-products/importing-egg-products-and-shell-eggs/faq-importing-shell-eggs">http://www.fsis.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsis/topics/international-affairs/importing-products/importing-egg-products-and-shell-eggs/faq-importing-shell-eggs</a>.

### III. QUESTIONS

Refer questions regarding this notice through your supervisor or submit your questions through <u>askFSIS</u>. When submitting a question, use the **Submit a Question** tab, and enter the following information in the fields provided:

Subject Field: Type **Notice 40-15** 

Question Field: Type in the question with as much detail as possible.

Product Field: Select **Import** from the drop-down menu.

Category Field: Select **Basic Import Answers** from the drop-down menu. Select International (Import/Export) from the drop-down menu.

When all fields are complete, press **Continue** and at the next screen press **Finish submitting Question**.

**NOTE:** Refer to FSIS Directive 5620.1, Using askFSIS, for additional information on submitting questions.

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